

## Message Text

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E. O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PORG, EAIR, ICAO  
SUBJ: ICAO: CYPRUS AIRSPACE

REF: MONTREAL 755

1. US REP HAD OCCASION TO DISCUSS INFORMALLY WITH CHIEF/RAO, THESEN (PARA 2 REFTEL) SOME DETAILS OF RECENT MONTREAL MEETING WITH GOT AND TFSC REPS. HE CONFIRMED KOTAITE POSITION DURING MEETING INCLUDING A STRONG STATEMENT AT END OF MEETING THAT UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WAS CURRENT ERCAN PROBLEM TO INVOLVE ANYTHING EVEN CLOSE TO ALASIA CHECK POINT.

2. THESEN SAID THAT GUNGEN DGCA/TURKEY WAS IN KOTAITE MTG WITH TFSC. HE CONFIRMED THAT TWO PEOPLE CAME TO HIM AT KOTAITE SUGGESTION TO SUBMIT OPERATING INFORMATION REGARDING PROBLEM. HE WOULD ONLY SAY THAT ONE OF THEM WAS IN KOTAITE MTG - OTHER PERSON "HAD NOT BEEN EXPECTED" BUT CAME ANY WAY. HE STEERED AWAY FROM GIVING NAMES AND DID NOT RESPOND TO US REPS NUDGE FOR TYPE OF INFORMATION THAT HAD BEEN PUT IN ICAO FILES.

3. FYI. THESEN IS ONE OF THE MOST TECHNICALLY COMPETENT AND RELIABLE CARRERISTS IN SECRETARIAT. US REP CONSIDERS HIS  
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CONFIRMATION TO BE VALID. HOWEVER I HAD IMPRESSION HE WAS EXPECTING THE REQUEST FOR CONFIRMATION. END FYI.

4. WILL SEEK ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM SECGEN WHEN APPROPRIATE INFORMAL OPPORTUNITY ARISES.  
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